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Stray Pig

Location of Incident: Somerton Avenue and County 15th Street – Somerton, AZ

On Wednesday, February 9, 2022, at approximately 11:30 AM the Yuma County Sheriff’s Office received a call of a loose pig in the agricultural fields in the area of Somerton Avenue and County 15th Street. Sheriff’s Deputies along with the assistance of agricultural workers in the area were able to secure the pig and transfer custody to the Yuma County Sheriff’s Office Livestock Unit.

The pig has remained unclaimed. The pig is described as a black potbellied pig with white markings on the front feet and is currently under the supervision of the Yuma County Sheriff’s Office Livestock Unit. If the pig remains unclaimed, it will be turned over to the Arizona Department of Agriculture within 7 days after the date of this release.

The Sheriff’s Office is asking anyone with information regarding this pig to please contact Eric Driedger at the Yuma County Sheriff’s Office at 928-783-4427. You can also visit the website at www.yumacountysheriff.org to submit an anonymous tip.

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